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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 3, 2007. Claims 1-12 are pending in the application.

Applicants select Group I claims. Additionally, Applicants elect N-(2-Bromophenyl)-N'-[((R)-1-(5-trifluoromethyl-2-pyridyl)pyrrolidin-3-yl)]urea as the VR-1 agonist and rofecoxib as the NSAID. In this case, the NSAID is also the COX-2 inhibitor.

Authorization is hereby granted to charge any fees which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-2570.

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